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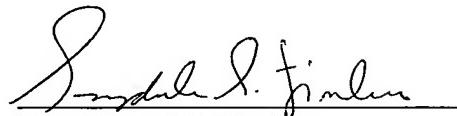
Upon entry of this amendment, which is respectfully requested for the reasons set forth below, claims 39 – 65 will be pending in this case and claims 1 – 38 will be cancelled. Newly presented claims 39 - 65 are directed to disclosed subject matter. No new matter is believed added by this amendment.

Applicants respectfully submit that all of the claims are now in condition for allowance and the Examiner's early examination and consideration are respectfully requested. Alternatively, if there remains any question regarding the present application or any of the cited references, or if the Examiner has any further suggestions for expediting allowance of the present application, the Examiner is cordially requested to contact Magdalena M. Fincham at telephone number (203) 461-7041 or via electronic mail at mfincham@walkerdigital.com.

While no extension of time or other fee is believed due in connection with this amendment, the PTO is hereby authorized to charge any fee associated with this case, throughout the pendency of the case, to Deposit Account No. 50-0271.

Respectfully submitted,

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